

## REMARKS


Applicants submit this response to Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated October 4, 2006.

If fees are believed necessary, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any required fee, deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 04-0258. A duplicate copy of this document is enclosed.

All of the claims remaining in the application are now believed to be allowable. Favorable consideration and a Notice of Allowance are earnestly solicited.

If questions remain regarding this application, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at (206) 628-7650.

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